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#### DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed in an application entitled "CAPACITIVE VACUUM MEASURING CELL"

the specification of which  $\underline{X}$  is attached hereto.  $\underline{X}$  was filed on  $\underline{December\ 22,\ 1998}$  and assigned Application Serial No.  $\underline{09/219,090}$  and was amended on  $\underline{12/22/98}$ .

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

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Wherefore I request that Letters Patent be granted to me for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the above-identified patent application.

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We, Andreas Vogt and Urs Wegmann , the undersigned, lawful representatives of UNAXIS TRADING LIMITED of CH-9477 Trübbach, Switzerland, do hereby declare that Unaxis Trading Limited is the true owner of the invention entitled as above and that it has assigned the entire right and interest in and to the above invention and to obtain patent in respect to said invention unto UNAXIS BALZERS LIMITED of FL-9496 Balzers, Principality of Liechtenstein or their successor so far as the United States of America are concerned.

Dated this 20 day of September , 2000.

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Unaxis Trading AG (See comment No. 4)

Unaxis Trading Ltd. Unaxis Trading SA

(Formerly Balzers Hochvakuum AG, (see comment No. 1) Wartau,

Date of entry:

21. 12. 1995

Legal nature:

Company Limited by Shares

Domicile:

c/o Balzers AG, 9477 Trübbach

Capital:

CHF 8,000,000.- fully paid up and divided into 8,000 registered shares each having a

nominal value of CHF 1,000,-

Objects:

The objects of the Company shall be the acquisition, holding and exploitation of patents and licences in the sphere of high technology, relating particularly to protection against wear in coating technology also of measuring devices and vacuum equipment. The Company may establish subsidiary companies and branches at home and abroad; it may

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#### **ASSIGNMENT**

This Assignment is made and executed this 21 day of December, 1998, by and from:

Per BJOERKMAN	)	
an individual residing at	)	
Bastö, FL-22310 Palsböle, Aaland	)	Hereinafter referred
Finland	)	to as "ASSIGNORS"
	and	
Ray OLSSON	)	
an individual residing at	)	
Mörby 81, FL-22240 Hammarland, Aaland	)	
Finland	)	
•	to	
BALZERS HOCHVAKUUM GmbH	)	Hereinafter referred to
a corporation incorporated	)	as "ASSIGNEE"
under the laws of Switzerland	)	
and having a principal place	)	
of business at	)	
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#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS are the inventors of the improvements described and claimed in the application for United States Letters Patent executed concurrently herewith and entitled, "CAPACITIVE VACUUM MEASURING CELL", hereinafter referred to as "PATENT RIGHTS"; and

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS desire to assign all of their right, title and interest in and to the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS to ASSIGNEE.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged:

1. ASSIGNORS hereby sell and assign to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, their entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements described and claimed in the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS, including: (a) any and all patents and applications therefor based upon said improvements; (b) any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions based upon the above-identified patents and applications therefor; and (c) any and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of any of the above-identified patent applications in the United States or any other country.

- 2. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents to issue any patent or any reissue patent which may be based upon the improvements described and claimed in the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS to ASSIGNEE or its successors and assigns.
- ASSIGNORS hereby agree upon request and without further consideration, but at the expense of the Assignee: (a) to communicate to ASSIGNEE, or its representatives or nominees, any facts known to ASSIGNORS relating to the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS; (b) to testify in any legal proceeding relating to the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS; (c) to sign and execute all lawful papers and to make all lawful oaths or declarations relating to the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS, including documents relating to divisional, continuing, and reissue applications in the United States and applications in other countries; and (d) to perform all acts reasonably necessary to aid ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and nominees in obtaining and enforcing patent protection in the United States and other countries covering those improvements described and claimed in the above-identified PATENT RIGHTS.

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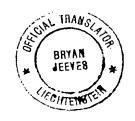
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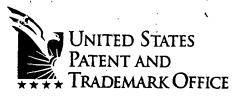
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of <u>January</u> , 2002, by and from:
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#### **RECITALS**

ASSIGNOR is the sole and exclusive owner of the United States Patent Applications identified below, as well as the improvements described and claimed in such United States Patent Applications:

- U.S. Patent Application No. 09/219,090, filed December 22, 1998, and entitled "CAPACITIVE VACUUM MEASURING CELL;" and
- U.S. Patent Application No. 09/218,934, filed on December 22, 1998, entitled "MEMBRANE FOR CAPACITIVE VACUUM MEASURING CELL."

The U.S. Patent Applications identified above, and the improvements described and claimed therein, shall hereinafter collectively be referred to as "Patent Rights."

Pursuant to a prior Agreement, between ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE, ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE agreed to assign said Patent Rights to ASSIGNEE.

ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE mutually desire such assignment of said Patent Rights to be evidenced by a document suitable for recordation in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the above, and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged by ASSIGNOR, ASSIGNOR agrees as follows:

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